## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT IN THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS MIDLAND DIVISION

ROBERT C. SMITH,	§	
Plaintiff,	§	
	§	
VS.	§	CIVIL ACTION NO. MO-7-17-CV-031-RAJ-DC
	§	
ARMY BOARD OF CORRECTIONS	§	
OF MILITARY RECORDS, and	§	
RYAN D. MCCARTHY,	§	
SECRETARY OF THE ARMY,	§	
Defendants.	§	

## **NOTICE OF DEATH**

COMES NOW, Fred O. Hull, Attorney for Robert C. Smith, and informs the Court that G. Ward Beaudry, Attorney for Robert C. Smith, died on November 28, 2017. Mr. Beaudry was the managing partner of the firm Winn, Beaudry & Winn, and there is now uncertainty as to the continuation of the law firm. Therefore, we request an abatement of this matter and including by agreement with Attorneys for Defendants all pending motions before this Honorable Court while Plaintiff Robert C. Smith seeks new counsel in lieu of Winn, Beaudry & Winn.

Respectfully submitted,

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